

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Original): A multi-layered sheet comprising:

a substrate layer;

a cohesive failure resin layer formed on the substrate layer and containing a polyolefin resin and a flexible resin or an elastomer; and

a non-cohesive failure resin layer formed on the cohesive failure resin layer, wherein:

the non-cohesive failure resin layer contains a polyolefin resin and has a thickness in the range of 7 to 40  $\mu\text{m}$ .

Claim 2 (Original): The multi-layered sheet according to claim 1, wherein:

the substrate layer is a polyolefin resin;

the cohesive failure resin layer is an ethylene-polar vinyl compound copolymer as the flexible resin; and

the polyolefin resin of the non-cohesive failure resin layer is a polypropylene resin having a melting point of 140°C or higher.

Claim 3 (Original): The multi-layered sheet according to claim 2, wherein:

the cohesive failure resin layer contains a polypropylene resin in the range of 50 to 95 wt% and an ethylene-polar vinyl compound copolymer in the range of 5 to 50 wt%.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): The multi-layered sheet according to claim 2 ~~or 3~~, wherein:

the ethylene-polar vinyl compound copolymer of the cohesive failure resin layer is an ethylene acrylic acid copolymer or an ethylene-polyvinyl acetate copolymer.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): The multi-layered sheet according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 4~~ claim 1, further comprising:

a gas barrier layer formed on a side opposite to the cohesive failure resin layer of the substrate layer.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): A container comprising:

a flange formed on a peripheral edge of an opening for storage of a packaging object, wherein:

the container is formed by thermally forming the multi-layered sheet according to ~~any one of claims 1 to 5~~ claim 1; and

a non-cohesive failure resin layer of the multi-layered sheet is positioned on an inner surface side of the container.

Claim 7 (Original): An easily-unsealable packaging article comprising:

the container according to claim 6; and

a lid for closing an opening of the container, wherein:

the lid is thermally sealed to a flange of the container.

Claim 8 (Original): A container comprising:

a substrate layer;

a cohesive failure resin layer formed on the substrate layer and containing a polyolefin resin and a flexible resin or an elastomer; and

a non-cohesive failure resin layer formed on the cohesive failure resin layer and containing a polyolefin resin, wherein:

the non-cohesive failure resin layer is positioned on an inner surface side of the container; and

a circular cut portion is formed on the non-cohesive failure resin layer of the flange.

Claim 9 (Original): The container according to claim 8, wherein:

the substrate layer is a polyolefin resin;

the cohesive failure resin layer is an ethylene-polar vinyl compound copolymer as the flexible resin; and

the polyolefin resin of the non-cohesive failure resin layer is a polypropylene resin having a melting point of 140°C or higher.

Claim 10 (Original): The container according to claim 9, wherein:

the cohesive failure resin layer contains a polypropylene resin in the range of 50 to 95 wt%; and the ethylene-polar vinyl compound copolymer in the range of 5 to 50 wt%.

Claim 11 (Currently Amended): The container according to claim 9 or 10, wherein:

the ethylene-polar vinyl compound copolymer of the cohesive failure resin layer is an ethylene-acrylic acid copolymer or an ethylene-polyvinyl acetate copolymer.

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): The container according to ~~any one of claims 8 to 11~~ claim 8, further comprising:

a gas barrier layer formed on a side opposite to the cohesive failure resin layer of the substrate layer.

Claim 13 (Currently Amended): An easily-unsealable packaging article comprising:  
the container according to ~~any one of claims 8 to 12~~ claim 8; and  
a lid closing an opening of the container, wherein:  
the lid is thermally sealed on an outer peripheral side of the cut portion on a flange of  
the container.

Claim 14 (Original): The easily-unsealable packaging article according to claim 13,  
wherein:

the lid is thermally sealed on the outer peripheral side away from the cut portion on  
the flange of the container by a distance of 0.5mm or more.